

**ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME
DIVISION OF COMMERCIAL FISHERIES
NEWS RELEASE**



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**Westside Salmon Announcement 8
Emergency Order 9**

This is the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham with an announcement regarding commercial fishing in the Nushagak District. This is Westside salmon announcement number 8 issued Saturday, June 23 at 12:00 p.m.

As previously announced, commercial fishing in the Igushik Section of the Nushagak District with set gillnets only will close at 4:00 p.m. June 23. Commercial fishing in the Igushik Section of the Nushagak District with set gillnets only will reopen as follows: from 4:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. June 24, and from 5:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. June 25.

Daily sockeye salmon escapement into the Wood River was 1,710 making the cumulative 13,236 through June 22. Daily king salmon escapement into the Nushagak River was 1,288 making the cumulative 12,750. Daily sockeye salmon escapement into the Nushagak River was 3,889 making the cumulative 16,404.

Dual permit holders are reminded that they must register as dual permit operations prior to fishing anywhere in Bristol Bay.

Informational updates and announcements are available by calling our recorded message line at 842-5226. This has been the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham.

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